# **Global Commitment Register**

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## **Choices for Care HCBS Rate Increase**

### **Policy Summary:**

The Agency of Human Services (AHS) has increased the rates for Choices for Care (CFC) Home and Community Based Services (HCBS) under the Global Commitment to Health Waiver by 2 percent for State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2018. This rate increase is part of the SFY 2018 appropriations from the Vermont Legislature.

#### **Effective Date:**

July 1, 2017

#### **Authority/Legal Basis:**

- Global Commitment to Health Waiver: Waiver authority #5 [Section 1902(a)(13), 1902(a)(30)]; Special Term and Condition #28.
- H.542 of 2017 An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

#### **Population Affected:**

All Medicaid

#### **Fiscal Impact:**

	State Fiscal Year 2018
State	\$643,556
Federal	\$767,286
Total	\$1,410,842

#### **Public Comment Period:**

The public comment period was 6/30/17 - 7/30/17. No comments were received.

#### **Additional Information:**

Further information on the <u>SFY 2018 2% rate increase</u> is available at this link.

